

ADING.

Consignees.	Intended Despatch
Jardine, M. & Co	
Mr. Jardine, M. & Co	
Grun & Co	
Bourau Huben & Co	Early
Russell & Co	
Rozario & Co	
Borneo Company	
Order	
Russell & Co	
Russell & Co	Early

At Canton.

CNC HARBOUR.

H.P.	Captain.
3	80 C. E. Domville, Lieut.
3	60 R. M. Lloyd, Lieut.
3	Bassard
3	C. Crowley, Lieut.
6	Attached to Melville
6	Le Saulnier De la Cour
6	Johnson, Lieut. Comr.
6	Cushing, Lieut. Comr.
6	R. Bernard, D.M.L.C. Com.
14	Commodore Oliver Jones
3	
3	40 Harbor Tender to Comr.

CANCYON

Owners or Agents.

P. & O. S. N. Co	
H. & W. Dock Company's Tug	
H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.	
H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.	
Achong	
Union Dock Company Tug	
H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.	
Achong	
Thomas Hunt & Co	
Thomas Hunt & Co	
H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co	

P. & O. S. N. Steam Co	
Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Captain Lewes	
Jardine, Matheson & Co	
David Sassoon Sons & Co	
Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Dent & Co	

金舊往

利議貨山必早	一隻名店
與如者大早	
寫	
船至有請半	
便客本有貴往	
是者公司客舊	
英至面	

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 Lombard Street. GEORGE STANNES, 30,
 Cornhill. GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Hol-
 born Hill, E.C.AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW
 ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-
 bourne and Sydney.SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports
 generally.—WHITE & BAUER, San
 Francisco.CHINA.—SHELDON, DROWN & CO., Amoy,
 GILES & CO., FOSHAN, THOMPSON &
 CO., SHANGHAI, H. FOGG & CO., Ma-
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 CO., SHANGHAI, H. FOGG & CO., Ma-
 nila, C. KARUTH & CO.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS.

It is hereby notified that, until further
 orders, the China Mail and Overland China
 Mail will be the official medium of all
 Notifications proceeding from Her Britannic
 Majesty's Consulate at Amoy.British Consulate, Canton, April 16, 1868.
 D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul.It is hereby notified that, until further
 orders, the China Mail and Overland China
 Mail will be the official medium of all
 Notifications proceeding from Her Britannic
 Majesty's Consulate at Amoy.British Consulate, Amoy, April 22, 1868.
 B. SWINHOE, Consul.

ARRIVAL.

May 8, Starling, H. B. M. g.b., for a cruise.
 9, Drake, H. B. M. g.b., for a cruise.
 9, Lima, for Whampoa.
 9, Glengyle, for Shanghai.
 9, Kadash, for Zebu.For further Arrivals, New Adver-
 tisements, &c., &c., see 4th page.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & CO. have
 received instructions to sell by
 Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 14th May, 1868, at Noon.—
The old established House, known as
 the "VICTORIA HOTEL," situated in the
 Queen's Road West, No. 302.THE GOODWILL of the above estab-
 lishment, with all the FURNITURE,
 FIXTURES and STOCK IN TRADE,
 comprising: 20 beds, PORTER and a
 large quantity of WINES, LIQUORS,
 &c.TERMS.—Cash on the fall of the ham-
 mer.

Hongkong, May 8, 1868. 14my

TO LET.

THE HOUSE NO. 14, Shelley Street,
 adjoining the Club Lusitano. Rent
 moderate.Apply to THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
 53, Wyndham Street,
 Hongkong, May 8, 1868. 22myHONGKONG AMATEUR THEA-
 TRICAL SOCIETY.

NOTICE.

THE Performance advertised for Monday
 Evening, the 11th instant, is unavoid-
 ably POSTPONED till further notice.H. HARRINGTON NELSON,
 Hon. Sec. H. S. B.
 Hongkong, May 7, 1868. 10my

AQUATIC SPORTS.

THE Harbour RACE postponed from the
 Meeting held in November last, will
 take place SATURDAY, May 30th.Particulars can be obtained from the Un-
 designated.HOWARD HODGES,
 Hon. Sec. H. S. B.

Hongkong, May 6, 1868. 30my

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A WEEKLY MISCELLANY ILLUSTRATED WITH
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 C. LANGDON DAVIES.

No. 6, May 2nd, 1868.

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Subscription, \$7.50 per quarter, payable
 in advance.Hongkong, Noronha & Sons, Shanghai,
 A. H. de Carvalho; London, W. Allen &
 Co.; Paris, C. Bourani.

Hongkong, May 4, 1868.

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
 COMPANY, LIMITED.CAPITAL \$2,000,000 IN 2,000 SHARES OF
 \$1,000 EACH.\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and
 \$100 six months after Allotment.

NOTICE.

WITH reference to the following Reso-
 lutions passed at a Meeting of the
 Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insur-
 ance Company held on the 8th instant, ap-
 plications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire
 Insurance Company, Limited will be re-
 ceived by the General Managers, the form
 of application to be as follows:To the General Manager and Consulting
 Committee of the HONGKONG FIRE IN-
 SURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,I request you to allot me Shares of
 One Thousand Dollars each in the above
 named Company, and I agree to accept such
 Shares, or any less number which may be
 allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One
 Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment, and a
 further Call of One Hundred Dollars per
 Share, six months after allotment, and I
 further undertake to subscribe to the Deed
 of Settlement when called on to do so.I remain, Gentlemen,
 Your Obedient Servant,REDMOND UNIACKE,
 Dep. Commis. Gen.
 Controller's Office, Commissaries
 Hongkong, May 8, 1868. 12myH. M. NAVAL YARD,
 HONGKONG, 1st May, 1868.THE Naval Storekeeper hereby gives no-
 tice that on THURSDAY, the 14th
 Instant, at Noon he will be ready to treat
 under the conditions contained in the Re-
 gulations of Her Majesty's Transport Service
 and the form of Charter Party which may
 be seen at the above Office, for the
 Conveyance from Hongkong to England of
 about 14 Officers, 2 Staff Sergeants, 90 Men,
 9 Women and 12 Children.Tenders are to be made at rates per head
(Officers and Men separately), which are to include
 Conveyance, freight of Baggage
 according to Government Scale (Appendix
 22 of the Transport Regulations), and supply
 of Articles for the Mess, Cabin
 and Berths (Appendix 16), Articles for Table
 use, Cooking Utensils, and drinking
 Tanks for use on the Mess Deck
(Appendix 16), and of cooking Utensils,
 Fuel, Light and Necessaries for their use
(Appendix 17), well as of all such Stores
(especially those referred to in Article 97)
 and other requisites as are required by the
 Transport Regulations to be provided by the
 owners. Messing for Officers or other
 class or 2nd class Passengers, is to be supplied
 by the owners, and will be paid for
(in addition to the above charges per head)
 at the rates specified in Appendix 26 of the
 Regulations, which are to include the
 cost of Bedding (exclusive of Bed Linen
 and Towels), Medical Comforts, Articles for
 Table use, Cooking Utensils, Fuel, Light and
 other requisites (Article 201 and Ap-
 pendix 15 to 17 of the Regulation.)Fittings will be selected, and Provisions,
 Water, Medical Comforts, and Bedding for
 their families, will be found by Govern-
 ment. Owners are to supply a Distilling
 Apparatus, the requisites for baking Bread
 and Water Casks or Tanks. A competent
 Person is to be provided by the owners at
 their expense to manage the Distilling Apparatus,
 to keep it in effective working order,
 and to issue the distilled Water.Their Docks at Whampoa are in good
 working order and are pumped out by Steam
 and the workshops comprise the different
 departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith,
 Boiler-maker, and Machinery works.
 Materials supplied of the best kind and on
 the most reasonable terms. A jettty with a
 pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of
 which masts and booms can be taken out
 of Vessels.Their Hongkong establishment (at
 known as Misra Tiro, Hunt & Co.)
 comprises also the different
 departments of Shipwright, Black-
 smith, Boiler-maker, and Machinery works.
 Materials supplied of the best kind and on
 the most reasonable terms. A jettty with a
 pair of lifting shears, alongside of
 which masts and booms can be taken out
 of Vessels coming to this harbour, will be com-
 pleted in a very short time.The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"
 is always in readiness to tow Vessels to
 Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new
 berths, at reduced rates.All works carried on under the super-
 vision of experienced European foremen.
 For particulars, apply toA. D. MITCHELL,
 Manager of Works
 At the Office of the Company.

NOTICE.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the
 attention of Ship Owners, Consignees
 and Masters of Vessels to their establish-
 ments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which offer
 every facility for the docking and re-
 pairing of Vessels of all classes.Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad-
 vantageously situated, solidly built, and of
 full dimensions to admit

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and L Jayray & Co.'s Association Visceral.
CLARET, real Chateau Margaux.
Haut Brane.
L Espace Durac.
BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martel in 1 dozen cases.
BEER and PORTER in bottle.
BUTTER (Plates) in kegs.
Ales.
A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS
Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, December 11, 1867.

HENDRIE, PISSE & LUDIN's Fine Assortment of PERFUMES.
Also,
DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS.
For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices by JULES EZUERIE.
Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs.
Hongkong, December 1, 1867.

FOR SALE.
M UNTZ's Patent Yellow METAL SHEATHING, from 20' to 24 oz., Composition NAILS, Brown Sheathing FELT.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

EX MAIL STEAMER.
YON SAUSAGES in best condition.
CHEESE and HAMS.
Assorted French CONFETIONERY, Malaga RAISINS in bottles and tins.
ALMONDS in shells.
Peeled ALMONDS in tins.
ELEM PIGS in tins.
PRUNES in bottle.
Smoked Pomeranian GOOSEBREASTS,
at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

SOCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE, in 2 Volumes, by Revd. J. RUSSELL DOOLITTLE, is For Sale at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$3.00.
Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69

FOR SALE.
YELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to 28 oz.
Superior CLARET, St. Pierre, 1852.
Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche.
SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz. Bottles.
RAYNAL & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

FOR SALE.
YELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivians.
JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong, April 5, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Just Arrived.
2 BROADWOOD'S GRAND PIANOS, may be had at Wholesale Price.
Address "A," Office of this paper, Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

STEAM COALS.
For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board.
ENGLISH—Londonerry West Hartley, Davison's West Hartley, Straker, West Hartley.
WELSH—Blanbury Marthyr.
Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

NOTICE.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SALE.

THE Hulk CELESTIAL, as she now lies at Aberdeen, in good order, well found, and suitable for a floating store or residence.
For particulars, apply to JNO. S. LAPRAIK, Secretary.
Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

FOR SALE.
Ex late Arrival.
PRIME California CHEESE, Do. Gruyere Do.
Do. California BUTTER.
100 barrels Prime Hamburg Meats PORK.
Prime Westphalian HAMS, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A FEW cases of very superior SHERRY, just received ex "Chanel Queen."
H Superior Amontillado SHERRY V.S.A. in 3 doz. cases.
H Superior Oloroso SHERRY in 3 S.O.S. doz. cases.
H Extra Superfine SHERRY in 2 S.S.S. doz. cases.
H Quarter-jars (cased) Superior S.O.S. Oloroso SHERRY.
Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, January 27, 1868.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, HARMONIUMS and other Musical INSTRUMENTS.
Christy Minstrel's SONGS. Pianoforte OPERAS.
VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c., INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired.
C. WAGNER,
28, Hollywood Road.
Hongkong, August 2, 1867. 2au-68

INURANCE
MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.
PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates.
OLYPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, August 9, 1867.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Office, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on the usual Terms and Conditions.
Risks will also be accepted at the following Ports—
Canton, by Messrs DAEMON & Co.
Macao, E. L. LANG, Esq.
Amoy, Messrs BOYD & Co.
Fukchau, Messrs KIRK & Co.
Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to ADAM SCOTT & Co., agents, Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

Insurances.

NOTICE.
THE following Resolutions having reference to Insurance in Hongkong, adopted at a Meeting in London of the various Fire Insurance Companies represented in Hongkong and by the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, are circulated for general information:

1st.—That in future, the rates for short periods be calculated as follows:
Not exceeding one month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the annual rate.
Above one month, $\frac{1}{2}$ " "
and not exceeding three months, $\frac{1}{3}$ " "
Above three months, and not exceeding six months, $\frac{1}{4}$ " "
Above six months, the full Annual rate.

2nd.—That Petroleum and its Products should be stored by themselves in buildings constructed in conformity with the following regulations:

The Building to be of Ground Floor only, constructed of Brick or Stone, with Tile, Slate or Metal roof, such roof to have apertures for the purpose of ventilation, the whole of such building to be sunk at least two feet below the surface of the road or street, or in the event of the floor not being sunk, then any openings in the walls of said building to be built up to the height of at least three feet above the level of the road or street, in order to prevent the petroleum, &c. flowing out of the building in case of fire.

3rd.—That Saltpetre and Nitrates should be stored in like manner in buildings of substantial structure (without internal wood work) appropriated exclusively to such articles.

4th.—That the rate for the foregoing articles be not less than (2%) two per cent. per annum.

5th.—That Gunpowder should be stored in some fitting place either on shore or in the Bay, under proper regulation and at sufficient distance from all other property.

6th.—That a clause be inserted in every policy covering ordinary godowns, declaring that Petroleum and its products, Saltpetre, Nitrates and Gunpowder, are not deposited therein.

7th.—That the foregoing regulations regarding the storage of goods come into operation on and after the 6th July next.

8th.—That no Insurances on Chinese Houses shall in future be taken at a lower rate than (2%) two and a half per cent. per annum.

Hongkong, April 6, 1868.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company, and General Managers.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents China Fire Insurance Company, Imperial Fire Insurance Company, Phoenix Assurance Company, Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company.

R. S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents, London Assurance Corporation, Queen Fire Insurance Company, Manchester Fire Assurance Company.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents, Northern Assurance Company, Wm. POUNTAIN & Co., Agents for the Hamburg and Bremen Fire Insurance Company.

ADAM SCOTT & Co., (In Liquidation), Agents, San Fire Office.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Pacific Insurance Company of San Francisco.

ALFRED WILKINSON & Co., Agents, Guardian Assurance Company, Per the Borneo Company, Limited, JOHN FRASER, Agents, Commercial Union Insurance Company.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.—

Not exceeding one month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months, $\frac{1}{2}$ " "

Above 3 months and not exceeding six months, $\frac{1}{3}$ " "

Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

ALLIANCE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.—

Not exceeding one month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months, $\frac{1}{2}$ " "

Above 3 months and not exceeding six months, $\frac{1}{3}$ " "

Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Effects, therein contained.

In case of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

The Royal Annual Rates for FIRE INSURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz.—

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

First Class China House and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Other Risks as per special arrangement.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

Insurances.**NOTICE.**

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurance, viz.—

Not exceeding one month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the annual rate.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months, $\frac{1}{2}$ " "

Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months, $\frac{1}{3}$ " "

Above 6 months, the full Annual rate.

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

DETACHED and SEMI-DETACHED Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

GODOWNS, OFFICES, SHOPS, &c. and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

First CLASS CHINA HOUSE and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Other Risks as per special arrangement.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, March 8, 1868.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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DETACHED and SEMI-DETACHED Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

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First CLASS CHINA HOUSE and their Contents, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Other Risks as per special arrangement.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, March 8, 1868.

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Insurances.

NOTICE.

ARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
following Rates will be charged in
ture for Short Period Insurances,
eeding 1 month, 1 per cent.
1 month and
t exceeding 3, 1
3 months and
t exceeding 6, 2
6 months, the full annual rate.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.,
London, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

ERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
and after this date the following
tes will be charged for Short Period
eeding one
one month
t exceeding 3, 1
3 months and
t exceeding 6, 2
6 months, the full annual rate.
TURNER & Co.,
Agents,
ong, April 13, 1868.

DOCKS.

KONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL—\$750,000.

600 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH.

OMPANY'S DOCKS AT ABER-
DEN AND WHAMPOA are in full
order, and the attention of Ship-
respectfully solicited to the ad-
vance of these Establishments offer
ing and Repair of Vessels.

owing description of the Premises
itted for the information of the

ABERDEEN DOCK.

DOCK No. 1.

GRANITE. 330 feet.
80 " 80 "
Water at Spring Tides, 184 " "
Neap Tides, 16 " "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

GRANITE. 400 feet.
90 " 90 "
Water at Spring Tides, 24 " "
Neap Tides, 21 " "

DOCK now under course of con-
struction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

GRANITE. 550 feet.
80 " 80 "
Water at Spring Tides, 164 " 174 "
Neap Tides, 134 " 16 " "

be used either as one or two

DOCK B.

GRANITE. 340 feet.
60 " 60 "
Water at Spring Tides, 18 " "
Neap Tides, 15 " "

we are the largest Docks in China
are fitted with every appliance in
Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps,
sure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

WOOD. 260 feet.
Water at Spring Tides, 14 " "
Neap Tides, 11 " "

with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

WOOD. 164 feet.
Water at Spring Tides, 26 " "
Neap Tides, 9.6 " "

DUCK E.

120 feet.
Water at Spring Tides, 11 " "
Neap Tides, 8 " "

are Mud Docks available for
use at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

Workshops on the Premises, both at
and Whampoa, possess every
necessary for the Repairs of Ships
Machinery. The Engineer's Shops
with Lathes, Planing, Screw-
ing, Punching Machines, &c., &c.,
of executing work on the largest
Blacksmith's Shops are equally
equipped with plant, and the work is
carried on under the Supervision of
European.

Lifting Slings stand on a Jetty
where vessels can lie in 24 feet
take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

MAKERS' DEPARTMENT.

Company in addition to executing
what is prepared to tender for supply
Collars to Steam-ships for con-
which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Brass Castings, either for Ships
purposes, are executed with the
utmost care.

STORES.

Company's Stores will (when re-
ply at moderate rates all the
for Shipwork, such as Paint,
cavans, &c., &c.)

STEAM TUG.

Company's powerful Steam Tug
Horse-power nominal) is always
to Tow Sailing Vessels from
the Dock free of charge, and
back to Sea, at reduced

the particular apply at the
Company, Aguilar Street,

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Secretary.

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Docks, or in any way respectively
arrangements, should address them
on the subject—when their com-
receive the immediate attention of
the Company.

October 13, 1868.

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FOR INDIA, EUROPE, &c.
Por La Compagnie des Services Mar-
times des Messageries Impériales Str.
"TIGRE," on Saturday, 23rd inst.,
at 11 o'clock A.M. To and through
the United Kingdom via Marseilles
to France and other Continental
States (in a closed mail to France);
to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India,
Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius;
Suez and Alexandria. Letters
for Registration will be received
until Noon on 23rd instant.

Correspondence intended to be forwarded
by the vessels of the above company
must be superscribed per Messa-
geries Impériales Packet."

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

MAILS BY THE "MALACCA."

The Contract Packet "MALACCA" will
be dispatched with the usual Mails for
Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 15th
May, at 7 A.M., and the Post Office
will be open for the reception of Ordinary
Letters, Letters for Registration,
Newspapers, Books, &c., until 9 P.M.
on the 14th Inst.; Letters, &c., may be
posted in the night box from 9 P.M. on
the following morning.

All Letters posted between 5 and 6 A.M. on
the 15th May will be chargeable, in
addition to the usual postage, with a
Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this
Office is 6 A.M. and for Newspapers,
Books, or Patterns 5 A.M. on the 15th
May.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad-
dressed to the United Kingdom via
Marseilles or to Singapore may be
posted on board the Pacific from 6.30
to 6.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee
of 48 cents each, in addition to the
postage, after which no Letters can be
received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence
of Box Holders will be received at
the window set apart for the purpose, on
the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for place to which pre-
payment is compulsory must be prepaid in
Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Inadequately stamped Letters addressed to
the United Kingdom will be sent on,
charged with a fine of One Shilling in
addition to the postage.

Letters posted after 5 A.M. on the 15th May
will not be forwarded unless the Late
Fee as well as the postage is prepaid.

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped
addressed to places to which they can-
not be forwarded unpaid, will be opened
and returned to the writers as early
as possible, but no guarantee can be
given that such Letters, if posted after
9 P.M. on the 14th Inst., will be returned
until after the mail is closed.

Postage Stamps should be placed on the
upper right hand corner of the corre-
spondence, except in cases where they
may be used in payment of "Late Fees,"
when the Stamp or Stamps represent-
ing the late fee should be placed on the
lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar
will be conducted in the Coins pre-
scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the
Proclamation of the 22nd January,
1864; and no other Coin, but those
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or given in change as fractional parts
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F. W. MITCHELL,
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General Post Office,
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than the address of the person for whom
the pattern is intended, a trade mark and
numbers, and prices of the articles; otherwise
the pattern will be detained or for-
warded charged as an unpaid letter.

The patterns or the contents thereof must
not contain any inclosure, sealed or other-
wise closed against inspection.

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tions of the Post will apply to the
Pattern Post. Under these regulations, in
order to prevent any interruption to the
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Patterns may, when it is necessary, be kept
back for the following Mail by which, in
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as to the eligibility of any Pattern, pattern,
or sample contained therein, to be forwarded
under these regulations, will be final and
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through the Post of any article likely to
injure the contents of the Mail Bag or
Box, or the person of any Officer of the
Post Office, is, of course, applicable to the
Pattern Post; and a packet containing
anything of the kind will be stopped, and not
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the following have been occasionally posted
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celain and china, fruits, vegetables, bunches
of flowers, cuttings of plants, spars, knives,
scissors, needles, pins, pieces of machinery,
sharp pointed instruments, samples of
metals, samples of ore, samples in glass
bottles, pieces of glass, acids of various
kinds, curry combs, copper and steel en-
graving, plates and confectionery of all
kinds.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, January 1, 1867.

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GEO. HEARD, Esq.,

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N.

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geon,

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. D. MIRKUZZI in our Firm, ceased on the 1st day of December, 1867.
A. PERGUSON & Co.
Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Mr W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1868.
WOSMAN & Co.
Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

I have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN OORDT & Co.
W. C. VAN OORDT
Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

NOTICE.
M Y Business, as Ship and Insurance Broker, Commission Agent, &c., hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. HOOK, Son & Co.
J. S. HOOK.
Hongkong, September 23, 1868.

NOTICE.
AS my Engagement comes in May next, all outstanding Accounts for the past Two Years must be sent in immediately for payment.
MARY HASTELLOW RANDLE,
Superintendent.
Diocesan School.
Hongkong, January 2, 1868. 16my

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER & Co.
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.
Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port.
H. J. DRING,
Marine Surveyor.
Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned.
J. C. SAUNDERS,
Chap Min.,
Pagoda Anchorage,
Foochow.
Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself at this port as a Public Tea Inspector and General Commission Agent under the Style or Firm of JOHN ODELL & Co.
JOHN ODELL.
Foochow, April 13, 1868. 10jul

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NOTICE.
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DEACON & Co.
Canton, February 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ERIC MAINTZ and MR JAMES WHEATLEY in our Firm ceased on 30th April last, and Mr FREDERIC C. ADAMS and Mr LEOPOLD KAHN are this day admitted as Partners.
REISS & Co.
China and Japan, May 1, 1868. jun1

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ELDER HALTON in our Firm ceased on the 20th June last, and Mr JAMES PENDER DUNFORD was admitted a Partner on the 1st July.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868. 1-a-w

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at this Port as a General Storekeeper and Commission Agent.
JAMES EDWARDS.
89, Yokohama, March 19, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm.
GLOVER & Co.
Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr RICHARD B. PARK in our Firm, ceased on the 31st March, 1868.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, April 16, 1868. 30jun

NOTICE.
MR BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD was admitted a Partner in our Firm on 1st January, 1868.
J. McDONALD & Co.,
Shipwrights.
Hongkong, May 1, 1868. 1ng

NOTICE.
THE connection of the Undersigned with the Firm of Messrs THOM. HUNN & Co. ceases from this date.
J. M. ARMSTRONG.
Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
MR J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.
China, February 15, 1868.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. HOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this Port.
S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 15, 1868.

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Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

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號船便安	若有搭客請至本公司面議
刺士厘公司啟	到標地桑貴客附貨物
桑地標往	英興寫船便是
號船便安	若有搭客請至本公司面議
刺士厘公司啟	到標地桑貴客附貨物
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VESSELS LOADING.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.	Intended Despatch.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—FOOCHOW	Fiery Cross	Br. sh. Am. str.	Jardine, M. & Co.	
SHANGHAI	Suwonada	Am. str.	Aug. Heard & Co.	
OTHER PORTS—BOMBAY, &c.—Eng. Mails	Ellora	Br. str.	P. & O. S. N. Co.	15th
CALLAO	Cary & Jane	Hm. bk.	Bourja Hubener & Co.	
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Dayspring	Br. bk.	Rozario & Co.	Early
Do. Do.	Atrevida	Br. bk.	Turner & Co.	
NEW YORK	J. Woodburn	Br. bk.	Borneo Company	
PORTLAND	Jeanne Alice	F. sh.	Order.	
FUSET SOUND	Sarah March	Br. sh.	Russell & Co.	
SAN FRANCISCO	J. L. Dimmock	Br. sh.	Russell & Co.	
Do.	Reynard	Am. sh.	Russell & Co.	

* At Whampoa.

+ At Canton.

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.
Algerine	British	gun-vessel	3	80	C. E. Domville, Lieut.
Cheng-Ising	Chinese	gun-boat	3	.....	Bessard
Flamer	British	naval hospital	—	.....	Attached to Malivoire
Forfait	French	steamer	6	.....	Le Saulnier De la Cour
Mailla	British	gun-boat	—	.....	Johnson, Lieut. Comr.
Maumes	U. States	steamer	—	.....	Cushing, Lieut. Comr.
Melville	British	naval hospital	—	.....	R. Bernard, D. M. I. O. & Co.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14	.....	Commodore Oliver Jones
Watchful	British	gun-boat	3	40	Harbor Tender to Comm.
Weazel	British	gun-boat	—	.....	Richards.

MEN-OF-WAR AT CANTON.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.
Fee-long Hai-ching	Chinese	gun-boat	5	.....	Edwards

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON

Vessel	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co.
Fauie, (110 h. power)	Do.	380	Carroll	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	Do.	456	Haskell	H. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kin Shan	Do.	617	Benning	H. & C. M. Steam-boat Co.
Kin Kiang	Do.	69	—	Achoueng
Lintin	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company Tug.
Little Orphan	Do.	379	Leid up	H. & C. M. Steam-boat Co.
Foyang	Do.	101	Godsell	Q. Achoueng
Prince Albert	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co.
Sir J. Jesseebley	Do.	280	Graves	H. & C. M. Steam-boat Co.

RECEIVING SHIPS.

Vessel.	At	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Fort William	Hongkong	B. sh.	1000	Townsend	P. & O. S. N. Steam Co.
Mahamoodie	Fusciau	B. bk.	292	Oliver	Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Slips	Ningpo	B. bk.	341	Green	Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Water Witch	"	B. bk.	427	Lewes	Captain Lewes
Lady Hayes	Wellington	B. bk.	334	Partridge	David Sassoon Sons & Co.
Pathander	{ Ta-kau, Formosa	B. sh.	472	Bennett	Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Ternate	"	B. bk.	262	Dent & Co.	

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Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Departures, and Clearances.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—WC, from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W, Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—EC, on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E, Eastward of the Hospital.—K, on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
STEAMERS.					1868.		
Adon	WC Andrews	Brit. str.	812	May	8 P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bombay, &c.	15th, 7 a.m.
Elfin	WC Shait	C. Chi. str.	200	May	5 Captain		
Ellora	WC Murray	Brit. str.	1579	May	6 P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Kau Ka Kee	WC Yeaton	Amor. str.	313	March	24 A. Heard & Co		
Reiver	E. Bolton	Brit. str.	777	May	6 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Suwonada	WC Wayne	Amor. str.	1802	May	6 A. Heard & Co		
Tigre	WC Boileau	Feb. str.	1700	April	20 Messagers Imperiales		
Yesso	WC Ashton	Brit. str.	680	April</td			